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## Portuguese Soldiers Slain by Tribesmen

Over Half of the Command Killed,  
While Sixty-Five Others Are  
Wounded.

LISBON, Oct. 5.—The Minister of  
Marine announced in the Chamber to-  
day that a detachment of Portuguese  
troops belonging to a column operating  
in Portuguese West Africa against the  
Guanamas was surprised by the  
tribesmen while crossing the Cunene  
river.

Almost Wiped Out.  
The detachment, which numbered 499  
officers and men, lost 254 men, including  
15 officers and 50 men wounded.

Ambushed at Night.  
The Portuguese force includes 255 Euro-  
peans, of whom 109 are missing. The force  
was ambushed at night. The Government  
is considering the organization of a force  
of 5000 men to suppress the Guanamas  
and will dispatch warships to strengthen  
the Angola naval division.

River Boundary Line.  
The Cunene river forms the boundary be-  
tween German and Portuguese Southwest  
Africa.

## MRS. McLAUGHLIN WEDS.

Well-Known Salt Lake Woman Is  
Married in Washington.

Special to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 5.—St.  
John's church, one of the oldest and  
most fashionable in the city, was the  
scene of a quiet wedding today at noon,  
when Mrs. Henrietta McLaughlin of  
Salt Lake became the bride of Dr. Wil-  
liam A. McEnery of London. The cere-  
mony was performed by the Rev. H. S.  
Smith, rector of the church in the pres-  
ence of a few relatives of the bride, and  
following the service a wedding break-  
fast was served at the home of Prof. A.  
C. McLaughlin, a brother-in-law of the  
bride. Prof. McLaughlin being con-  
nected with the Carnegie Institute. Dr.  
and Mrs. McEnery left for St. Louis  
this afternoon and will be in Salt Lake  
within the next two weeks.

The bride has a host of friends in  
Utah who will be glad to welcome her  
to her home. Dr. McEnery is a noted  
London specialist, holding many posi-  
tions of note in the medical world of  
that big city, but he will give up his  
English home and practice and will  
settle in this city, where he will practice  
his profession and where he will be as-  
sured of a warm welcome owing to the  
popularity of his wife.

## RUMORED NAVAL BATTLE.

London Has Story of Fight at Port  
Arthur.

LONDON, Oct. 6.—A news agency here  
late tonight sent out a dispatch, dated  
Tokio, October 5, saying:  
"It is believed that the Russian squad-  
ron made a sortie from Port Arthur to-  
day and that a great naval battle oc-  
curred."

No details, however, are given.

LONDON, Oct. 6.—There is no confirma-  
tion from any source of the reported naval  
fight at Port Arthur.

## FELL DEAD ON STREET.

One of Butte's Best-Known Citizens  
Suddenly Killed.

BUTTE, Mont., Oct. 5.—Judge S. J.  
Naughton, one of Butte's best-known  
citizens, dropped dead tonight on the  
street from an attack of heart failure.  
During the administration of Mayor  
Dugan in 1893 and 1894 he was Police  
Judge. As an attorney he had an ex-  
cellent reputation, and at the time of  
his death was United States Court Com-  
missioner. As a member of the Butte  
Jury of Elks he took a prominent part  
in all the business of the order.

Hearing Against Coal Carriers.  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—The case of  
William R. Hearst against the coal-car-  
rying roads, which was assigned for a hear-  
ing by the Interstate Commerce commis-  
sion in Chicago on the 11th inst., has been  
transferred to New York, where the hear-  
ing will take place October 25.

separate. All this matter should have  
been buried long ago. Then why are  
we confronted with this ghost now?

He read an extract from a Logan  
paper, which said the Democratic ticket  
tried to foster Apostles Moses Thatcher  
into the United States Senate. He said  
this was false and then he went into  
some ancient history.

Apostles Should Keep Out.  
"I never saw a moment in my life,"  
exclaimed Mr. Thatcher dramatically,  
"when I believed a member of the  
quorum of twelve should leave his high  
and holy calling to engage in political  
or other such work."

"Then why did you do it?" you will  
ask.

Enters a Disclaimer.  
"I never did, strange as that may  
sound to you."

"I was not present in the Democratic  
convention at Ogden in 1895 which  
recommended Mr. Rawlins and myself  
to the next Legislature, should it be  
Democratic, as material for the Sen-  
ate, but the Legislature was Republi-  
can."

Knew It Would Come.  
He concluded by saying: "I SAW  
TEN YEARS AGO WHAT I SEE  
NOW. UTAH WILL NEVER HAVE  
PEACE UNTIL THIS GREAT ISSUE  
IS SOLVED."

## HART DEFENDS LAW BREAKERS

Attempts to Break Up  
Preston Meeting.

Justifies Those Who Entered  
Polygamy and Who Main-  
tain Such Relation.

Hon. B. F. Clay Replies to Smooters'  
Address, Excoriates Polygamists,  
Denounces Church Dictation.

Special to The Tribune.

BOISE, Ida., Oct. 5.—But thirty-five or  
forty people attended the meeting at Pres-  
ton, Ida., last night, which had been  
advertised to be addressed by Hon. B. F.  
Clay of Caldwell. Democratic nominees for  
Congress. In his address Mr. Clay care-  
fully but clearly offered arguments show-  
ing why the Mormon question should be  
considered. He discussed the danger of  
church dictation and the degradation of  
polygamy among other things.

Hart Attempts Denial.  
When he had concluded Arthur W.  
Hart, the Democratic member of the  
state central committee from Oneida  
county, who was presiding, came to the  
front of the stage and in a speech of  
15 or 20 minutes denied church dictation  
and called upon those present to say if  
they had ever been coerced.

He attempted to justify those who had  
entered polygamy before the manifesto  
for at present maintaining such relations  
and also attempted to belittle the Demo-  
cratic state platform. With President  
George Parkinson in the room as an au-  
ditor, his remarks were heartily applaud-  
ed as he took his seat.

Clay Replies in Vigorous Manner.  
Mr. Clay's Southern blood caused him  
to rise, and coming to the front of the  
platform, he said:

"In reply to Mr. Hart's denial I wish  
to say that I was told today upon the  
streets by members of the Mormon church  
that church dictation was a serious of-  
fense here and had been notorious two  
years ago. These church members told  
me that Preston was once a Democratic  
stronghold, but was fast going to the Re-  
publicans. In reply to my question, to  
what do you attribute this change, they  
answered, to church influence.

Excoriates Polygamists.  
"As for the attempt of Mr. Hart to jus-  
tify those practicing polygamy, I have  
to say that a decent regard for the honor  
of the Mormon church as pledged in the  
manifesto, which you people said was the  
law of God to them, would have caused  
such men to discontinue this prohibited  
relation and should silence the gentleman  
who has just spoken in his attempt to  
justify his brothers in shame. But when  
the first presidency violates this law and  
boasts of it, when four apostles take  
new wives, when two others perform  
plural marriages, we may expect such at-  
tempts at justification of this crime  
against humanity and against the laws  
of the land, and when such attempts as  
John Henry Smith made two years ago  
to take from our constitution the prohibi-  
tion against polygamy it is high time  
that the citizens of Idaho were becom-  
ing aroused as to a defense of their  
rights and to say to the leaders of the  
church, take your hands off from the ark  
of state. As to proof of these new mar-  
riages it is abundant, and has either al-  
ready been brought or will be brought  
out in the Reed Smoot investigation, and  
if any one present wants the testimony  
and cannot get it I will see that you do  
get it."

Hart Dismisses Audience.  
He then took his seat amid delectable  
silence, and Hart then dismissed the au-  
dience. Four or five Mormons immedi-  
ately came to Mr. Clay and condemned  
Hart, and said: "Hart never would have  
made that break if he had not seen Par-  
kinson here." They fully justified Clay  
in all he said and remarked that "we in-  
dorse the State platform and the State  
ticket and so stated in our convention last  
Saturday."

Was Plan to Break Up Meeting.  
Several others present at the meeting  
walked up town with Mr. Clay and as-  
sured him that the Democratic ticket in  
Preston will get a good vote in spite of  
Mr. Hart and his like. They expressed  
themselves feelingly as wanting help to  
get out from under the ban of church dic-  
tation. They said they wanted to be re-  
lieved of their bondage and were help-  
less to accomplish it themselves. They  
afterward told him that Hart's break  
was a deliberate plan to disturb the  
meeting and that others had expected to  
follow Hart, only that he (Clay) had  
boldly stepped into the breach and dis-  
concerted their plan.

Charged With Padding Payrolls.  
PUEBLO, Colo., Oct. 5.—Judge Lewis  
today dismissed the case against John  
O. T. Curtis, President of the City  
Council, charged with padding city pay-  
rolls, on the ground the indictment did not  
sufficiently set forth the charge. Similar  
action is expected to follow in the case  
of the other indicted city officials that  
pertain to the padding of payrolls.

Seizure Case to Be Heard.  
ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 5.—The case  
of the British steamer Allanton, seized  
by the Vladivostok squadron, will come  
up before the admiralty court October 14.

## Episcopal Church in Convention

Archbishop of Canterbury and Bish-  
ops From All Parts of the  
World Present.

BOSTON, Oct. 5.—The Archbishop of  
Canterbury and bishops from many  
parts of the world attended the opening  
session of the general triennial conven-  
tion of the Episcopal church here to-  
day. The English primate was last in  
a long procession of dignitaries which  
passed up the broad aisle of Trinity  
church, where the opening service was  
held in the presence of an immense  
congregation. He recited one of the  
prayers in the office of the holy com-  
munion and read the gospel.

Welcomed by Bishop Doane.  
Bishop Doane welcomed the Arch-  
bishop of Canterbury and then devoted  
a large part of his sermon to the di-  
visions of Christendom. He discussed  
the barriers which separate the Angli-  
can church from other denominations  
and how they might to some extent be  
broken down. While the recognition of  
papal supremacy was impossible, the  
archbishop thought that the church  
might readily recognize the primacy of  
the Bishop of Rome because of the an-  
tiquity of the Roman See. He urged a  
broadening of the church's sphere.

Chairmen Chosen.  
At the opening session of the house of  
deputies Dr. Randolph H. McKim of  
Washington, D. C., was selected chair-  
man over Rev. Charles L. Hutchings of  
Concord, the candidate of most of the  
high churchmen present. Dr. Henry  
Arista of Philadelphia was elected sec-  
retary. Bishop Lawrence of Massa-  
chusetts was chosen chairman of the  
house of bishops by unanimous vote.  
Dr. Samuel Hart of Middleton, Conn.,  
was re-elected secretary.

Message From English Congress.  
The following was received by the  
house of bishops from the English con-  
gress: "The Liverpool church congress  
sends brotherly greetings to the Epis-  
copal church of America."

CONTRACTOR MURDERED.  
Well-Known Butte Contractor Victim  
of Knockout Drops.

Special to The Tribune.

BUTTE, Mont., Oct. 5.—The dead  
body of Edward Wegner, a well-known  
and prosperous contractor of this city,  
was found in a heap in a corner of an  
alley in the rear of the city hall last  
night under conditions which the police  
believe indicate a murder. Wegner,  
apparently, was given an overdose of  
knockout drops, which resulted in his  
death. Robbery was the motive.

Wegner is known to have had \$1000  
early yesterday, which sum he divided  
with a partner, whom the police do  
not know at this time. The money is  
missing.

The actions of two unknown men in  
the rear of the Peterson restaurant  
aroused the suspicions of Andrew Peter-  
son, the proprietor, who investigated,  
finding the remains of Wegner. The  
body had been dragged to the alley and  
an effort made to appear that the man  
had died from the effects of a jag.

In the vicinity of where the Wegner  
body was found are a number of salo-  
ons, in one of which it is thought  
the contractor was administered the  
fatal drug. Froth on the lips of the  
corpse indicated that knockout drops  
had been given.

CHARGED WITH MURDER.  
Slayer of Bill Charley Is Held to  
Answer Court.

Special to The Tribune.

THOMPSON'S, Utah, Oct. 5.—Grand  
county officials completed the investi-  
gation of the killing of Bill Charley, the  
Indian, today. W. P. Reeder is held,  
charged with the murder.  
County Attorney Corbin, Justice Powell  
and the Sheriff, with Sheriff Precece and  
Attorney O'Donnell of Utah county,  
met the Indians at the scene of the kill-  
ing, thirty-five miles north of here, Mon-  
day evening. They examined the body,  
which was in a state of decomposition.  
The bullet was extracted from the  
body and found to be the caliber of Reeder's  
gun. Wounds on the head were made  
with a sharp instrument. The range of  
the bullet into the body and all were found  
to correspond with the Indians' story.  
Reeder will be taken to the Moab Jail  
tomorrow. The Indians are satisfied and  
there is no danger of further trouble.

CRUSHED UNDER AUTO.  
Retired Chicago Banker and His Wife  
Severely Injured.

CHICAGO, Oct. 5.—Crushed beneath  
their overturned automobile John Mer-  
rill, a retired Chicago banker, and his  
wife were held prisoners while a num-  
ber of men struggled to lift the heavy  
machine.

When released Mrs. Merrill was found  
to be severely injured, one leg being  
broken. She was unconscious for  
some time. Mr. Merrill was badly  
bruised about his head and shoulders.

Mr. Merrill was running the machine  
at a good speed when the front wheels  
struck a car track. The automobile  
slipped along the wet rails for some  
distance, then suddenly turned and  
dashed to the side of the street.

There the front and rear wheels on  
the right side slipped into a small cul-  
vert and the machine was overturned.

Squatters Enter Protest.  
SAN JUAN, P. R., Oct. 5.—One thousand  
squatters on land assigned by President  
Taft to the army and navy pur-  
pose protested to Gov. Winthrop today  
against the destruction of their homes,  
which they have been ordered to vacate.  
The governor promised to give considera-  
tion to the protest.

## WOMEN URGE CONGRESS TO ACT

Demand Amendment to  
Constitution.

Would Prohibit Polygamous  
Practices of Mormon  
Hierarchy.

Purge Nation of Disgrace Which  
Dulls Moral Sense and Dims Pa-  
triotic Pride of People.

DENVER, Colo., Oct. 6.—The Wo-  
man's Home Missionary society of the  
Methodist church went on record today  
in favor of Congressional action against  
polygamy.

A resolution introduced by Mrs. F. A.  
Aiken of Cincinnati, O., recording  
secretary, calling upon Congress to sub-  
mit to the people an amendment to the  
Constitution of the United States pro-  
hibiting the practice of polygamy, was  
unanimously adopted, and adopted amid  
cheers, and Mrs. Aiken was accorded a  
marked demonstration in approval of  
the step taken by her.

Polygamous Practice of Apostles.  
After stating in the preamble that the  
so-called apostles of the Mormon church  
were guilty of polygamous practices and  
calling attention to the Nation's "In-  
efficiency and shame," as developed  
through the Smoot investigation, in  
handling the question of polygamy the  
resolution says:

What Resolutions Demand.  
Be it resolved by the Woman's Home  
Missionary society of the Methodist  
Episcopal church, in convention assem-  
bled at Denver, Colo., September, 1904.

First—That the National Congress  
should not only protect the integrity and  
purity of its membership, to do which  
there can be no doubt of its ability and  
purpose, but should take immediate steps  
to purge the nation of this disgrace which  
tends to dull the moral sense and dim  
the patriotic pride of all its people.

Favor Constitutional Amendment.  
Second—To this end Congress should  
pass and submit to a vote of the States,  
without unnecessary delay, an amend-  
ment to the constitution of the United  
States prohibiting the practice of poly-  
gamy.

Third—That we hereby pledge our in-  
fluence and untiring effort to the accom-  
plishment of this end.

Appeals to Auxiliaries.  
The resolution concludes with an ap-  
pel to all auxiliaries to use every  
means in urging their representatives  
in Congress to support the action.

The society heard reports of various  
secretaries during the sessions today.  
The question of raising a fund of \$200-  
000 to carry on this work during the  
coming year was discussed favorably.  
The plan of raising the fund will be de-  
cided upon before the convention closes.

LABOR LEADERS HEARD.  
Samuel Gompers Addresses Meeting  
at Boston.

BOSTON, Oct. 5.—Every labor union in  
the city was represented tonight in an  
audience that filled Faneuil hall at a  
workingmen's public mass meeting held  
in connection with the international peace  
congress.

Samuel Gompers, president of the Ameri-  
can Federation of Labor, presided and  
delivered an address. Prominent labor  
representatives of Great Britain, France,  
Belgium and Germany also spoke.

The resolutions adopted declare: "That  
we do not and will not submit without  
urgent protest to the furnishing of men  
and money for wars of aggression and  
greed, whether such wars are of a na-  
tion against another nation or of a na-  
tion against subject people, or of a Gov-  
ernment (as in the case of Colorado)  
against a peaceful association of sovereign  
citizens."

MURDER MYSTERY CLEARED.  
Finding of Body Discloses That Man  
Committed Suicide.

SEATTLE, Oct. 5.—By the identification  
of William Olin, a former brewery em-  
ployee, as the man found on the tide  
flats south of the city today, a supposed  
murder mystery was cleared away. Blood  
stains had been found on the stairs of a  
disorderly house in this city and it was  
supposed that a man had been murdered.  
The finding of the body in a way cor-  
roborated the theory. It is now known  
that the man committed suicide on ac-  
count of trouble with a woman with whom  
he was enamored and the blood stains  
resulted from a fight between two bar-  
tenders.

Colliers Sail From Emden.  
EMDEN, Germany, Oct. 5.—It is ru-  
mored here that three colliers, the Ceres,  
Orion and Johannesbror, which cleared  
for Santiago a few days ago, actually  
sailed for Slagen, Island of Jutland,  
Denmark, under the charge of a Rus-  
sian officer, who was taken on board at  
Emden.

## To Put an End to War in Orient

Peace Congress Adopts Resolutions  
Calling Upon Russia and Japan  
to End Strife.

BOSTON, Oct. 5.—The international  
peace congress has adopted resolutions  
calling upon Russia and Japan to end  
the present war, and upon the signatory  
powers of The Hague convention to press  
upon the Governments of Russia and  
Japan the importance of putting an end  
to the strife.

What Resolutions Set Forth.  
By the terms of the resolutions, the  
congress will address an appeal to the  
Emperors of Russia and Japan to ter-  
minate the struggle, and each of the pow-  
ers signatory to The Hague convention  
will be formally requested to press the  
matter upon Russia and Japan.

Present Them to Roosevelt.  
It was also voted that the resolutions  
referring to friendly intervention of the  
powers be presented to President Roose-  
velt by a committee of the congress. The  
resolutions were adopted after a lengthy  
discussion, in which many of the most  
prominent foreign delegates participated.

ORDER FLAGS HALF-MASTED  
President Issues Proclamation An-  
nouncing Gen. Payne's Death.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—The President  
today issued the following proclamation:  
"To the People of the United States:—  
Henry Clay Payne, Postmaster-General of  
the United States, died in this city at ten  
minutes past 6 o'clock yesterday after-  
noon. Rising to eminence by his own ef-  
forts, successful in his enterprises, at-  
taining to positions of high trust in pri-  
vate business, energetic and conscientious  
in his relations with his fellowmen, of sin-  
gularly gentle, loyal and lovable nature,  
inspired by a large sense of the duties of  
a true citizen, and winning the respect  
and esteem of all with whom he asso-  
ciated, he was called, in the fullness of  
his powers, to discharge the duties of a  
peculiarly onerous and responsible office  
in the high councils of the Nation. His  
career is an example for good citizens to  
follow, and his untimely death is mourned  
by all."

The President directs that the several  
executive departments and their depen-  
dencies shall show fitting regard for the  
memory of this distinguished public man,  
that the departments in the city of Wash-  
ington shall be closed between the hours  
of 9 o'clock a. m. and 1 o'clock p. m. on  
the day of the funeral, Friday, the 7th  
inst., and that the National flag shall be  
displayed at half-mast upon all the pub-  
lic buildings throughout the United States  
until the funeral services in Milwaukee.  
The active pallbearers will be com-  
posed of uniformed letter carriers.

JOHN HAY,  
Secretary of State.  
"Washington, October 5, 1904."

PAYNE FUNERAL.  
Committee Will Plan All the Ar-  
rangements.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—President  
Roosevelt called today at the apart-  
ments of the late Postmaster-General Payne  
to extend his personal condolences. A vast  
number of telegrams were received to-  
day from all over the country. A com-  
mittee will plan the details of the funeral  
arrangements.

Rev. Cotton Smith, rector of St. John's  
Episcopal church, where the funeral  
will be held at 11 o'clock in the city of Wash-  
ington, will conduct the ceremony there, and  
Rev. Isaac Nicholson, bishop of Milwau-  
kee, will conduct the service in Milwau-  
kee. The active pallbearers will be com-  
posed of uniformed letter carriers.

MEN WITH MONEY.  
Bankers of Montana Organize State  
Association.

HELENA, Mont., Oct. 5.—The formal or-  
ganization of the Montana State Bank-  
ers' association was effected here today  
at a meeting at Electric hall of about  
fifty of the bankers of the State. An  
address to the bankers was delivered by  
Gov. Toole, to which A. J. Bennett of  
Virginia City responded on behalf of the  
bankers.

The following officers were elected:  
President, B. F. White, Dillon;  
first vice-president, A. L. Smith, Helena;  
secretary, Frank Bogart, Helena.

QUIT FOOTBALL.  
Famous Guard of Harvard Eleven  
Going on Idaho Sheep Ranch.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 5.—Harry  
Lemoine, the famous big guard of the  
Harvard football eleven and champion  
swimmer, has quit college, and will go  
to Idaho, where he will take up sheep  
ranching with his brother, Charles E.  
Lemoine, who is already located there.

Big Steamer Sails for Seattle.  
SEATTLE, Oct. 5.—Word was received  
here today at the office of the Northern  
Steamship company that the big liner  
Minnesota left Norfolk, Va., at 1:30 Sat-  
urday, on route for this port. She is  
heavily laden with wool and is expected  
to make no stops at way ports. She  
should reach Seattle about November 1.  
The Minnesota has the largest carrying  
capacity of any vessel afloat.

Original of Gibson Girl Pictures Ill.  
DENVER, Oct. 5.—Mrs. Arthur Spring-  
er has been devastated by a lake cover-  
ing with a fever. She is the original of  
the Gibson girl pictures.

Fused With Themselves.  
INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 5.—A coalition of  
the two Populist parties in Indiana has  
been effected, the fusionists withdrawing  
their State ticket and the State ticket  
nominated by the middle-of-the-roads  
becoming the Populist ticket of Indiana.

## NEXT BATTLE AT THE PASS

Decisive Contest to Be  
Fought There.

This Is Opinion of Military  
Experts the World  
Over.

Sanctity of the Imperial Tombs